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EXPOSE THE FBI TO CHARGES OF PLAYING POLITICS.

WITH REGARD TO ROBERTS' REQUEST FOR ACCESS TO PHOENIX FILE

[REDACTED] CONCERNING THE BOMBING OF A PUBLIC HEALTH HOSPITAL, PHOENIX NOTES THAT FORMER CASE AGENT [REDACTED] IS COMPLETELY KNOWLEDGEABLE REGARDING THIS MATTER AND AGAIN, NO SA CURRENTLY ASSIGNED TO THE PHOENIX DIVISION IS KNOWLEDGEABLE REGARDING THIS INVESTIGATION. PHOENIX THEREFORE REQUESTS THAT, UACB, SAC, SAN FRANCISCO, PERMIT SA [REDACTED] TO TRAVEL TO PHOENIX, ARIZONA, TO REVIEW THIS FILE AND DETERMINE WHAT INFORMATION MAY BE DISSEMINATED TO STATE AUTHORITIES.

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REQUEST OF THE BUREAU. THE BUREAU IS REQUESTED TO ADVISE PHOENIX DIVISION REGARDING THE AAG'S OFFICE REQUEST TO COPY PX 174-559 IN ITS ENTIRETY.

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UNSUB;
JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON, AKA; ETAL;
DON FIFIELD BOLLES - VICTIM

(Title)

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
 SAC, SAN DIEGO (174-983)
 SAC, PHOENIX (174-559)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (174-1445) (RUC)

ATTN: INTD

UNSUB; JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON, AKA JOSEPH HARVEY ADAMSON; NEAL
 TAYLOR ROBERTS; DON FIFIELD BOLLES - VICTIM (DECEASED);
 EID, OO: PHOENIX.

RE PHOENIX TELETYPE TO BUREAU, JUNE 16, 1976.

ON JUNE 17, 1976, A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE PACIFIC
 TELEPHONE COMPANY PROVIDED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:
 TELEPHONE NUMBER 408-424-1615, IS A PUBLISHED NUMBER LISTED
 TO JOHN C. ROSENDALE, INC., 150 CAYUGA, SALINAS, CALIFORNIA.
 TELEPHONE NUMBER 408-424-0975 IS A PUBLISHED NUMBER LISTED
 TO ROYAL PACKING COMPANY, 680 EAST ROMIE LANE, SALINAS,
 CALIFORNIA. TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] IS A PUBLISHED
 NUMBER LISTED TO [REDACTED],
 [REDACTED]

A REVIEW OF THE INDICES REVEAL A MAIN FILE, SF 44-1088

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(7/70) IN WHICH NEAL ALISON ROBERTS, DOB NOVEMBER 14, 1945, POB VAN NUYS, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT HE IS AN ATTORNEY AND WAS WRITING A LETTER TO COMPLAIN ABOUT THE WAY POLICE OFFICERS AND LOCAL OFFICIALS WERE TREATING YOUNG HIPPIE LOOKING INDIVIDUALS DURING THEIR VISITS TO THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS. THIS FILE CONTAINED NO DEROGATORY INFORMATION REGARDING NEAL ROBERTS AND DOES NOT APPEAR TO HAVE ANY CONNECTION WITH CAPTIONED MATTER.

INDICES ARE NEGATIVE FOR ALL OTHER NAMES SET OUT IN THE TITLE AND TEXT OF REFERENCED TELETYPE.

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TO MINNEAPOLIS (174-970)

PHOENIX (174-559)

SAN DIEGO (174-933)

SAN FRANCISCO (174-1445)

FROM DIRECTOR

UNSUB; JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON, ET AL; DON FIFIELD BOLLES - VICTIM
(DECEASED); EID; OO: PHOENIX.

REPXTEL JUNE 17, 1976, AND SETEL OF THE SAME DATE.

GENERAL INDICES, FBIHQ, FAILED TO SHOW ANY INFORMATION
IDENTIFIABLE WITH [REDACTED];

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[REDACTED] FBI NUMBER [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]; OR THE ROYAL PACKING COMPANY, ALSO SALINAS.

ALTHOUGH THERE WAS NO INFORMATION IDENTIFIABLE WITH JOHN C.
ROSENDALE, INC., 150 CAYUGA, SALINAS CALIFORNIA, BUFILE 100-
380364 REFLECTS INFORMATION CONCERNING "JOHNNY CARL ROSENDALE,
SECURITY MATTER-C." INFORMATION WAS FURNISHED FBIHQ MAY 18,
1951, BY OFFICE OF NAVAL INVESTIGATIONS CONCERNING ROSENDALE, A
LIEUTENANT IN THE U.S. NAVAL RESERVE (INACTIVE), BORN MAY 3,

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1929, AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, RESIDENT MILLER'S LODGE, SOLEDAD, CALIFORNIA, TO THE EFFECT HE MIGHT POSSIBLY BE ASSOCIATED WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY, HAD LEFTIST VIEWS, WAS CHARACTERIZED AS AN EXTREMELY LIBERAL PERSON AND MAY HAVE ENGAGED IN BIGAMY. BACKGROUND INFORMATION IN THE FORM OF NAVAL INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS WAS FURNISHED YOUR OFFICE BY LETTER DATED JUNE 11, 1951, UNDER THE ABOVE-MENTIONED CAPTION, NOTING BUFILES CONTAINED NO INFORMATION IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE SUBJECT AT THAT TIME, THAT YOUR INDICES SHOULD BE CHECKED AND THAT NO INVESTIGATION WAS REQUESTED AT THAT TIME. NAVAL INVESTIGATION DEVELOPED NO DEROGATORY INFORMATION AND THE FILE REFLECTS NO COMMUNICATION RECEIVED FROM YOUR OFFICE INDICATING NO ACTIVE INVESTIGATION WAS INSTITUTED BY YOU. FBIHQ IS UNABLE TO DETERMINE WHETHER THIS INDIVIDUAL MAY OR MAY NOT BE IDENTIFIABLE WITH JOHN C. ROSENDALE, INC.

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TO: CHIEF CLERK

Date

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Subject

See below

Social Security Account #

Aliases

Address

Birth Date

Birthplace

Race

Sex

☐ Male

☐ Female

- ☐ Exact Spelling ☒ Main Criminal Case Files Only ☐ Restrict to Locality of _____
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✓ John Harvey Adamson	→ See FD-160 attached		
NR Joseph Harvey Adamson	Joe Adamson		
NR Neal Taylor Roberts			
NR Don Field Bolles			
NR [Redacted]			
PR Neal Roberts	→ 44-1088*(7/70)	Neil Roberts	
NR May Dunlap			
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 FROM: SAN FRANCISCO (174-1445) (RUC)
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 (DECEASED); EID; OO: PHOENIX.

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RE SAN FRANCISCO NITEL TO BUREAU, JUNE 17, 1976, AND BUREAU
 TELETYPE TO SAN FRANCISCO, JUNE 21, 1976.

A REVIEW OF THE SAN FRANCISCO INDICES HAS LOCATED A FILE,
 SF 100-34174*, ENTITLED "JOHNNIE CARL ROSENDALE, SM-C." THIS
 FILE CONTAINS PHOTOSTATIC COPIES OF SEVEN INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS
 OF THE OFFICE OF NAVAL INTELLIGENCE (ONI) REGARDING JOHNNIE CARL
 ROSENDALE, BORN MAY 3, 1920, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, WHICH
 WERE FURNISHED AS ENCLOSURES TO BUREAU LETTER TO SAN FRANCISCO,
 JUNE 11, 1951. THIS FILE ALSO CONTAINS ONI INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS
 DATED MARCH 28, 1955, AND APRIL 26, 1957. THESE REPORTS WERE
 FOLLOW-UP INVESTIGATIONS WITH REFERENCES, FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS
 OF ROSENDALE. REPORT DATED APRIL 26, 1957, ADVISES THAT ROSENDALE
 WAS HONORABLY DISCHARGED FROM THE U.S. NAVAL RESERVE. REPORT

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STATES THAT SUBJECT'S NAME HAS BEEN REMOVED FROM THE FILES OF DIO
-12ND, AS AN INDIVIDUAL OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST AND THE
CASE WAS CLOSED. THE REPORT DID ADVISE THAT JOHNNIE CARL ROSENDALE
WAS EMPLOYED AS AN ATTORNEY IN SALINAS, CALIFORNIA, AS OF APRIL
26, 1957.

THE INDICES REVIEW ALSO LOCATED A REFERENCE TO FILE [REDACTED],
VOLUME [REDACTED], SERIAL [REDACTED], DATED JUNE 11, 1964. THIS FILE SETS OUT
AN ALLEGATION BY [REDACTED] THAT ATTORNEY JOHN ROSENDALE,
SALINAS, CALIFORNIA, HAD CONSPIRED WITH THE OPPOSING COUNSEL IN A
CIVIL SUIT RELATING TO LAND IN [REDACTED]. THE MATTER
WAS NOT THE JURISDICTION OF THE FBI, AND [REDACTED] WAS REFERRED TO
THE U.S. ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.

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A REVIEW OF THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE COMPANY DIRECTORY FOR 1976
LOCATED A LISTING FOR JOHN C. ROSENDALE, INC., ATTORNEY - A PRO-
FESSIONAL CORPORATION, 150 CAYUGA, SALINAS, CALIFORNIA, TELEPHONE
NUMBER (408) 424-1615.

SINCE JOHN C. ROSENDALE, SET OUT IN REFERENCED SAN FRANCISCO
NITEL, HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS AN ATTORNEY IN SALINAS, CALIFORNIA,
AND SINCE BOTH REFERENCES IN THE SAN FRANCISCO INDICES REFER TO
VARIATIONS OF THE NAME JOHN ROSENDALE AND ARE IDENTIFIED AS

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ATTORNEYS IN SALINAS, CALIFORNIA, IT IS VERY POSSIBLE THAT ALL INFORMATION SET FORTH ABOVE IS IDENTIFIABLE WITH ONE PERSON.

IT IS BEING LEFT TO THE DISCRETION OF PHOENIX TO SET OUT SPECIFIC LEADS REGARDING JOHN C. ROSENDALE.

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11:40 PM NITEL AUGUST 3, 1976 DEB

TO: DIRECTOR (ATTENTION: INTD)

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FROM: PHOENIX (174-559) (P)

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UNSUB; JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON; ET AL; DON FIFIELD BOLLES -
VICTIM (DECEASED); EID; OO: PHOENIX.

RE PHOENIX TELETYPE TO THE BUREAU JULY 30, 1976, AND
MINNEAPOLIS AND SAN DIEGO TELEPHONE CALLS TO PHOENIX, AUGUST 2,
1976.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU AND RECEIVING OFFICES,
SPECIAL AGENTS (SAS) AT MINNEAPOLIS AND SAN DIEGO WHO HAVE CON-
DUCTED INVESTIGATIONS CAPTIONED MATTER, AS WELL AS SEVERAL
WITNESSES, SAN DIEGO, HAVE RECEIVED SIMILAR LETTERS FROM
LAW FIRM MARTIN, FELD HACKER, AND FRIEDEL, PHOENIX, ARIZONA,
WHO ARE THE COURT APPOINTED ATTORNEYS REPRESENTING JOHN
HARVEY ADAMSON IN HIS LOCAL HOMICIDE TRIAL STEMMING FROM
DEATH VICTIM (STATE OF ARIZONA VS. ADAMSON). LETTERS
RECEIVED INDICATE THAT ADDRESSEES

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ARE BEING CONSIDERED POTENTIAL WITNESSES IN STATE OF ARIZONA VS. ADAMSON TRIAL AND ASK TWO QUESTIONS:

(1) WILL INDIVIDUAL VOLUNTARILY SUBMIT TO INTERVIEW BY DEFENSE COUNSEL OR THEIR INVESTIGATOR?, AND (2) WILL INDIVIDUAL VOLUNTARILY APPEAR AT PHOENIX, ARIZONA, AT INDIVIDUAL'S OWN EXPENSE FOR INTERVIEW BY DEFENSE COUNSEL, AUGUST 19, 1976?

LETTERS FURTHER SET FORTH IN PART:

"BY LAW WE ARE PERMITTED TO INTERVIEW YOU AND YOUR FAILURE TO SUBMIT TO A VOLUNTARY INTERVIEW WILL RESULT IN A COURT-ORDERED DEPOSITION AT A DESIGNATED TIME AND PLACE...YOU MUST, WITHIN FIVE (5) DAYS, GIVE A REPLY BY RETURN MAIL OR BY PHONE...."

ON AUGUST 3, 1976, MARICOPA COUNTY SPECIAL PROSECUTOR, WILLIAM SCHAEFER, PHOENIX, WHO IS HANDLING PROSECUTION, ARIZONA VS. ADAMSON, SPECULATED PURPOSE OF LETTERS IS EFFORT BY DEFENSE TO ESTABLISH GROUNDS FOR DELAY OF TRIAL. SCHAEFER ANTICIPATES THAT DEFENSE, REALIZING POTENTIAL WITNESSES, WILL NOT VOLUNTARILY APPEAR AT OWN EXPENSE AT PHOENIX, WILL MAKE NEW MOTIONS BEFORE ARIZONA COURTS FOR TRIAL DELAY. AT THIS TIME, LOCAL TRIAL SCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER 2, 1976, AND RECENT MOTIONS BY DEFENSE FOR DELAY OF TRIAL DECLINED BY ARIZONA SUPERIOR AND ARIZONA

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SUPREME COURTS.

CONTENTS LETTERS DISCUSSED AUGUST 3, 1976, WITH AUSA W. RONALD JENNINGS, PHOENIX, WHO ADVISED SAS RECEIVING SUCH LETTERS SHOULD REPLY THEY WILL SUBMIT TO INTERVIEW BY REPRESENTATIVE THIS LAW FIRM AT THEIR RESPECTIVE CITY OF ASSIGNMENT, AT A TIME MUTUALLY CONVENIENT FOR BOTH PARTIES; THAT SAS WILL NOT VOLUNTARILY APPEAR PHOENIX FOR INTERVIEW BY ADAMSON'S DEFENSE COUNSEL.

AUSA JENNINGS FURTHER ADVISED THAT IF SAS ARE ACTUALLY INTERVIEWED BY REPRESENTATIVES THIS LAW FIRM, THAT SAS SHOULD BE REPRESENTED BY PRESENCE THEIR RESPECTIVE LOCAL AUSA.

IDENTITIES OF SAS WHO HAVE CONDUCTED INVESTIGATION CAPTIONED MATTER COMING TO ATTENTION OF ADAMSON'S COUNSEL, THROUGH FD-302S AND OTHER DOCUMENTS THAT HAVE BEEN FURNISHED LOCAL PROSECUTION AND OBTAINED BY DEFENSE THROUGH LOCAL DISCOVERY PROCEDURES.

UACB RECEIVING OFFICES REQUESTED TO FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS SUGGESTED BY AUSA, PHOENIX, AND TO ADVISE BUREAU AND PHOENIX OF RECEIPT OF LETTERS SIMILAR TO ABOVE AND TO ANY FOLLOWUP

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CONTACT BY LAWYERS REPRESENTING ADAMSON.

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TO ALBANY

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SAN FRANCISCO (174-1445)

FROM DIRECTOR (174-6980)

UNSUB; JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON, ET AL, DON FIFIELD BOLLES - VICTIM
(DECEASED); EID.

REPXTEL TO RECIPIENT OFFICES AUGUST 3, 1976.
MATTER DISCUSSED WITH DEPARTMENT, WHICH ADVISED IT CONCURS
WITH INSTRUCTIONS OF AUSA, PHOENIX. HANDLE REPLY WITHIN THE
FIVE DAY TIME LIMIT NOTED BY THE DEFENSE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH
AUSA, PHOENIX, RECOMMENDATIONS. IN EVENT ANY AGENT IS INTER-
VIEWED, IN SURE HE IS REPRESENTED AT INTERVIEW BY RESPECTIVE
LOCAL U.S. ATTORNEY OR HIS ASSISTANT.

OFFICES HAVING AGENT PERSONNEL WHO DO RECEIVE, OR WHO HAVE
RECEIVED, LETTER FROM DEFENSE REGARDING THIS MATTER SUTEL FBIHQ
SUBSEQUENT PARTICULARS THIS MATTER, INCLUDING ANY CONTACT BY DEFENSE.

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PHOENIX FURNISH FBIHQ ONE COPY OF ALL MATERIAL FURNISHED TO PROSECUTION AND DEFENSE WHICH IDENTIFIES AGENT PERSONNEL, SUBJECT MATTER ABOUT WHICH AGENTS MAY BE INTERVIEWED AND TO WHICH SUBSEQUENT TESTIMONY MAY BE REQUESTED, BY RETURN MAIL UNDER COVER AIRTEL.

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Date: 1/25/77

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (174-6980)

FROM: SAC, PHOENIX (174-559) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;
JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON;
NEAL ROBERTS;
DON FIFIELD BOLLES - VICTIM (Deceased)
ETID
OO: PHOENIX
Re tel call SA [redacted] Oakland RA,
to Phoenix, 1/19/77.

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Re telephone call reported in substance that a confidential source of information at [redacted] contacted the [redacted] the week of 1/19/77 after learning through a newspaper account that [redacted] had been arrested by the Phoenix Police Department, Phoenix, Arizona, for the bombing death of captioned victim. Source advised that [redacted]

According to this source, [redacted] RANGLES moved from [redacted] approximately five years ago and it is believed that RANGLES returned to the Seattle area a year ago. For information of San Francisco and Seattle, [redacted] was arrested by the Phoenix Police Department at Phoenix, Arizona, on 1/15/77, and charged with First Degree Murder in the bombing death of captioned victim. [redacted] and others were arrested on that date partly on the basis of statements furnished by JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON

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who appeared in Arizona State Superior Court on 1/15/77, and
pled guilty to the bombing death of victim and implicated
[redacted] and others.

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The above information furnished by the confidential
source at [redacted] was furnished to [redacted] Homicide
Detail, Phoenix Police Department, on 1/24/77, who requested
source be re-interviewed in detail for specific information
relating to [redacted] reputation as an arsonist and to further
identify RANGLES. It was also requested that any information
available reflecting on [redacted] or RANGLES' past use of
explosives be developed.

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[redacted] is described as:

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Date of Birth
Height
Weight
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FBI Number
Arrest Record

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AT [redacted]

1. Will re-interview confidential source for

[redacted]

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2. [redacted] requested to furnish results of this
interview to Phoenix in a form suitable for dissemination
to the Phoenix Police Department and to furnish results of
interview to Seattle so that additional inquiry can be

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made by the Seattle Division.

SEATTLE

AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

1. Upon receipt of results of interview from Oakland will contact arson division, Seattle Police Department, to develop any information pertaining to reputation of [REDACTED] and RANGLES as suspects in arson and explosive activities.

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2. Will attempt to further identify RANGLES.

For further information of San Francisco and Seattle, captioned matter continues to receive national coverage by the media and all leads being conducted for the Phoenix Police Department by the FBI are being handled on an expedite basis.

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To: SACs, San Francisco (174-1445)
 Seattle (174-1332)

✓ From: Director, FBI (174-6980)

UNSUB;

JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON; ET AL.

DON FIFIELD BOLLES - VICTIM (DECEASED)

EID

OO: PX

RePXairtel dated 1/25/77.

San Francisco and Seattle insure leads in this matter are promptly covered and reported to Phoenix. In the latter regard, all information reported to Phoenix, should also be furnished to FBIHQ, including results of any interviews conducted.

For your information, the defense in captioned matter previously subpoenaed numerous records of the FBI in regard to its conduct of out-of-state leads for the Phoenix Police Department. Although no further request has been made of the FBI, it can be anticipated such a request may again be received. Insure all information you report is concise, complete and in a suitable form for dissemination to local authorities.

Any information of considerable importance should be sent by teletype, followed by appropriate communication suitable for dissemination.

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The following investigation was conducted by
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On February 14, 1977, a confidential and reliable source of the FBI at [REDACTED], after learning through a newspaper account that [REDACTED] had been arrested by the Phoenix, Arizona Police Department (PPD), for the bombing death of newspaper reporter DON FIFIELD BOLLES, provided the following information:

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Source stated that he [REDACTED]

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Source indicated that in 1969 RANGLES had been employed by a company named Jelco at Salt Lake City, Utah, however, at the time RANGLES was living in Issaquah, Washington while he was employed with Jelco. In approximately 1971 or 1972, RANGLES and [REDACTED] opened a [REDACTED] branch of [REDACTED], and both RANGLES and [REDACTED] operated this branch in [REDACTED]. Approximately one year ago, RANGLES returned to Bremerton, Washington,

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where he is currently employed with McKinstry Corporation, which is a large mechanical contractor.

Source stated that while RANGLES was employed at Seattle with Tri States Plumbing he was living in a mobile home in Issaquah, and [] was living at []

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Source described RANGLES as a white male, age 40, married, stocky build, black hair, 5'8", without any moral sense or principles.

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AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (174-6980)
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (174-1445) (RUC)
RE: UNSUB;
JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON;
NEAL ROBERTS;
DON FIFIELD BOLLES -
VICTIM (DECEASED)
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Re Phoenix airtel to Bureau, 1/25/77.

Enclosed for the Bureau, Phoenix, and Seattle, are two copies each of an investigative insert reflecting investigation at Oakland, California.

Delay in interview of source in this matter due to fact source .

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In addition to the information as disclosed in the enclosed insert, source indicated that

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AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON: Conduct appropriate background investigation concerning [] and RANGLES and attempt to develop any information pertaining to the reputations of [] and RANGLES as suspects in arson and explosive activities.

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(2) Will attempt to further identify RANGLES.

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[REDACTED] stated that should his identity become known as the source of this information it could jeopardize [REDACTED] and therefore, he prefers to remain as a confidential source in this matter.

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RE PHOENIX AIRTEL TO THE BUREAU, DATED JANUARY 25, 1977;
AND SAN FRANCISCO AIRTEL TO THE DIRECTOR, DATED FEBRUARY 16,
1977.

INVESTIGATION IN BREMERTON, WASHINGTON, DETERMINED THAT
JAMES RANGLES IS JAMES LEWIS RANGLES, DATE OF BIRTH MAY
11, 1929. RANGLES IS CURRENTLY LIVING AT 3150 ROCKY POINT
DRIVE, BREMERTON, WASHINGTON, AND IS EMPLOYED WITH THE
MC KINSTRY CORPORATION, WHO IS ONE OF MANY SUBCONTRACTORS
AT THE TRIDENT MISSILE BASE LOCATED IN KEYPORT, WASHINGTON.
RANGLES ONLY CRIMINAL RECORD IS A TRAFFIC VIOLATION FROM THE

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BREMERTON POLICE DEPARTMENT ON WHICH HE IS DESCRIBED AS
BEING SIX FEET TALL, 215 POUNDS. THE FOLLOWING AGENCIES
WERE CONTACTED IN SEATTLE AND BREMERTONJN REGARDING RANGLES
AND [REDACTED] PERTAINING TO EITHER OF THEM
HAVING A REPUTATION AS SUSPECTS IN ARSON AND EXPLOSIVE
CTIVITIES: THE SEATTLE POLICE DEPARTMENT; KING COUNTY
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY; SEATTLE FIRE DEPARTMENT,
ARSON SQUAD; BREMERTON POLICE DEPARTMENT; AND KITSAP
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FOR INFORMATION SAN FRANCISCO, VICTIM, A PHOENIX
NEWSPAPER REPORTER WHO HAD WRITTEN EXTENSIVELY ON
ORGANIZED CRIME MATTERS, CRITICALLY INJURED IN BOMB
BLAST IN AUTOMOBILE, JUNE 2, 1976, AND LATER DIED OF
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LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN HANDLING OUT OF STATE LEADS, ULTIMATELY
RESULTED GUILTY PLEA BY JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON TO FIRST DEGREE
MURDER OF VICTIM BOLLES. TWO CO-CONSPIRATORS MAX DUNLAP
AND [REDACTED] PRESENTLY UNDER STATE INDICTMENT
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ON JULY 15, 1977, [REDACTED] (PROTECT) INTER-
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INVESTIGATION SALT LAKE CITY DETERMINED DENNIS L.

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[REDACTED] ALSO, CHARLES E. WHITEHOUSE

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WHITEHOUSE INTERVIEWED OGDEN, UTAH, JULY 17, 1977.
STATED DOES NOT KNOW PORTERFIELD AND DISCLAIM ANY
INVOLVEMENT IN BOLLES MURDER.

ON JULY 18, 1977, MRS. D. L. PORTERFIELD, DENNIS
PORTERFIELD'S MOTHER, SALT LAKE CITY, ADVISED DENNIS
CURRENTLY INCARCERATED MARICOPA COUNTY JAIL, PHOENIX,
ON DRUG CHARGE. IN REPLY TO QUESTION REGARDING WHITEHOUSE
MRS. PORTERFIELD STATED DENNIS IN JAIL, SALT LAKE COUNTY,
WITH ONE [REDACTED]. SALT LAKE COUNTY SO
RECORDS SHOW [REDACTED] AND PORTERFIELD INCARCERATED
CONCURRENTLY OCTOBER, 1976.

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PORTERFIELD INTERVIEW PHOENIX JULY 21, 1977, DISCLAIMS
INVOLVEMENT IN CAPTIONED MATTER. HE STATED DID KNOW

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[REDACTED] BUT DOES NOT KNOW WHITEHOUSE.

PORTERFIELD DESCRIBED: DOB MARCH 7, 1945, IN IDAHO, WHITE MALE, 6 FEET 1 INCH, WEIGHT 170, BROWN HAIR, BLUE EYES, FBI NO. 62988F.

WHITEHOUSE DESCRIBED: DOB APRIL 27, 1950, IN BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, WHITE MALE, 6 FEET 1 INCH, 200 POUNDS, LIGHT HAIR, BLUE EYES.

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[REDACTED] DESCRIBED: DOB [REDACTED], AT [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED], U. S. MARSHAL'S OFFICE, SALT LAKE CITY, ADVISED [REDACTED] ARRESTED BY SALT LAKE CITY PD ON PAROLE VIOLATION CHARGE. ON JANUARY 5, 1977, U. S. MARSHAL, SALT LAKE CITY TURNED [REDACTED] OVER TO U. S. MARSHAL, SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA. ATTEMPT TO LOCATE [REDACTED] THROUGH U. S. MARSHAL'S OFFICE,

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SAN FRANCISCO AND INTERVIEW HIM REGARDING ABOVE MATTER.

SALT LAKE CITY AT SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH. FD-302
OF WHITEHOUSE INTERVIEW FOLLOWS.

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RE PHOENIX TELETYPE TO BUREAU, JULY 21, 1977. NO
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FOR INFORMATION KANSAS CITY, VICTIM, A PHOENIX NEWSPAPER
 REPORTER WHO HAD WRITTEN EXTENSIVELY ON ORGANIZED CRIME
 MATTERS, CRITICALLY INJURED IN BOMB BLAST IN AUTOMOBILE
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DEGREE MURDER OF VICTIM BOLLES. TWO CO-CONSPIRATORS, MAX
DUNLAP AND [REDACTED], PRESENTLY UNDER STATE
INDICTMENT FOR MURDER.

ON JULY 15, 1977, [REDACTED] (PROTECT) INTER-
VIEWED BY FBI AT [REDACTED]

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INVESTIGATION AT SALT LAKE CITY DETERMINED [REDACTED]

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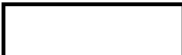
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WHITEHOUSE INTERVIEWED OGDEN, UTAH, JULY 17, 1977, STATED DOES NOT KNOW PORTERFIELD AND DISCLAIMED ANY INVOLVEMENT IN BOLLES MURDER.

ON JULY 18, 1977, MRS. D. L. PORTERFIELD, DENNIS PORTERFIELD'S MOTHER, SALT LAKE CITY, ADVISED DENNIS CURRENTLY INCARCERATED MARICOPA COUNTY JAIL, PHOENIX, ON DRUG CHARGE. IN REPLY TO QUESTION REGARDING WHITEHOUSE, MRS. PORTERFIELD STATED DENNIS IN JAIL, SALT LAKE COUNTY, WITH ONE 
. SALT LAKE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE RECORDS SHOW  AND PORTERFIELD INCARCERATED CONCURRENTLY OCTOBER, 1976.

PORTERFIELD INTERVIEWED PHOENIX, JULY 21, 1977, DISCLAIMS INVOLVEMENT IN CAPTIONED MATTER. HE STATED DID KNOW 
 BUT DOES NOT KNOW WHITEHOUSE.

PORTERFIELD DESCRIBED: DATE OF BIRTH MARCH 7, 1945, IN IDAHO; WHITE MALE; 6'1"; WEIGHT, 170; BROWN HAIR; BLUE

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EYES; FBI NO. 62988F. WHITEHOUSE DESCRIBED: DATE OF
BIRTH APRIL 27, 1950, IN BROOKLYN, NEW YORK; WHITE MALE;
6'1"; 200 POUNDS; LIGHT HAIR; BLUE EYES.

[] DESCRIBED: DATE OF BIRTH []
AT [];
[] SOCIAL SECURITY NO. []

MARICOPA COUNTY PROSECUTOR REQUESTED FBI ASSISTANCE
TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [] ON THEORY [] MAY
HAVE CONFUSED NAMES WHITEHOUSE AND []

[], U.S. MARSHAL'S OFFICE, SALT LAKE CITY,
ADVISED [] ARRESTED BY SALT LAKE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT
ON PAROLE VIOLATION CHARGE. ON JANUARY 5, 1977, U.S.
MARSHAL, SALT LAKE CITY, TURNED [] OVER TO U.S.
MARSHAL, SAN FRANCISCO.

[], U.S. MARSHAL'S OFFICE, SAN FRANCISCO,
CALIFORNIA, ADVISED [] TRANSFERRED TO U.S. MARSHAL'S
OFFICE, SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI, IN FEBRUARY, 1977, FOR

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ATTEMPT TO LOCATE THROUGH U.S. MARSHAL'S OFFICE,
SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI, AND INTERVIEW HIM REGARDING ABOVE
MATTER.

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2 Get Death Sentence In Don Bolles Slaying

PHOENIX (UPI) — Contractor Max Dunlap and James Robison, a plumber, were sentenced to death yesterday for the car bomb slaying of newspaper reporter Don Bolles.

Superior Court Judge Howard

Thompson said he found no mitigating circumstances to warrant a lesser sentence and ordered Dunlap, 48, of Phoenix, and Robison of Chandler put to death in the gas chamber at the Arizona State Prison.

Thompson also ordered 29 to 30 year prison terms for both men on charges of conspiring to kill two other men.

Bolles, an investigative reporter for The Arizona Republic, was fatally injured when a bomb exploded under his car in the parking lot of a downtown hotel June 2, 1976. He died 11 days later after both legs and one arm were amputated in efforts to save his life.

"I'm innocent," Dunlap said in a tearful statement before the court. He referred repeatedly to his wife and seven children, most of whom were in the courtroom, also in tears.

Dunlap, often stopping to compose himself, said he told his family, "I don't want you to be bitter about what happened in this courtroom. It is not representative of this community."

While the judge could sentence him to death, Dunlap said, "You'll never take my free spirit."

Robison, speaking in strong tones, said the jury's verdict delivered last Nov. 6 does not "alter the fact that I'm innocent."

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JAMES ROBISON
Sentenced to death



MAX DUNLAP
Gets death penalty

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VICTIM (DECEASED), EID, '00: PX.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF SAN FRANCISCO, TRIAL OF MAX
DUNLAP AND [REDACTED] ON TRIAL, MARICOPA COUNTY SUPERIOR
COURT, PHOENIX, ARIZONA, FOR MURDER AND CONSPIRACY TO COMMIT
MURDER OF NEWS REPORTER DON BOLLES, CONCLUDED ON NOVEMBER 1,
1977. ON JANUARY 10, 1978, DUNLAP AND [REDACTED] BOTH SENTENCED
BY MARICOPA COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT, PHOENIX, TO DEATH RE
THEIR CONVICTION, FIRST DEGREE MURDER AND CONSPIRACY.

SUBSEQUENT TO HIS CONVICTION, MAX DUNLAP FILED MOTION
FOR NEW TRIAL BASED ON "NEWLY DISCOVERED EVIDENCE" WHICH, IN
PART, IS AN AFFIDAVIT FROM ONE [REDACTED]

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TO THE DUNLAP TRIAL, JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON (CO-DEFENDANT WHO PLED GUILTY AND TESTIFIED AGAINST DUNLAP) CONFIDED TO HIM THAT DUNLAP IS INNOCENT AND HAS BEEN BLAMED IN ORDER TO PROTECT THE REAL PERPETRATOR (CO-CONSPIRATOR) OF THE MURDER OF DON BOLLES. THIS CONVERSATION BETWEEN [] AND ADAMSON ALLEGEDLY TOOK PLACE WHILE BOTH [] AND ADAMSON CONFINED IN MARICOPA COUNTY JAIL, PHOENIX.

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PHOENIX PD INVESTIGATION HAS DETERMINED THAT DURING PAST FOUR TO SIX MONTHS, [] HAS CORRESPONDED WITH ONE LEON GILBERT, WHITE MALE, DOB MAY 14, 1943, CONFINED SAN QUENTIN PRISON, PRISON NO. B79341; THAT [] IS BELIEVED TO HAVE WRITTEN TO GILBERT STATING HE [] IS "BEING TAKEN CARE OF": HAS RECEIVED A NEW VEHICLE, AND EXPECTS TO RECEIVE A SUM OF MONEY IN THE NEAR FUTURE. THIS INFORMATION BASED PARTLY ON PORTIONS OF A LETTER FROM [] TO GILBERT WHICH WAS READ BY [] MOTHER.

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WHILE NO SPECIFIC REFERENCE TO DUNLAP AS THE PERSON "TAKING CARE OF" [] ARE EXPECTED TO APPEAR IN [] LETTERS, THE PHOENIX PD, PHOENIX, IS ATTEMPTING TO DEVELOP THIS POSSIBILITY.

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PHOENIX PD HAS REQUESTED FBI ASSISTANCE IN THIS MATTER AND ASK THAT GILBERT BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE CONTENTS OF LETTERS RECEIVED FROM [] AND THAT GILBERT BE REQUESTED TO FURNISH LETTERS, OR COPIES, FOR USE BY PHOENIX PD. FURTHER, THAT EXTENT OF GILBERT'S ASSOCIATION WITH [] BE DETERMINED.

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SAN FRANCISCO AT SAN QUENTIN. REQUESTED TO IMMEDIATELY INTERVIEW GILBERT TO DEVELOP INFORMATION REQUESTED BY PHOENIX PD.

ALL LEADS THIS MATTER BEING HANDLED ON EXPEDITE BASIS DUE TO CONTINUING NATIONAL NEWS MEDIA COVERAGE.

SAN FRANCISCO REQUESTED TO FURNISH SYNOPSIS OF INTERVIEW BY TELETYPE FOLLOWED BY FD 302.

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UNSUB; JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON, AKA; ET AL; DON FIFIELD BOLLES -
 VICTIM (DECEASED), EID, OO:PX.

RE PHOENIX TELETYPE TO SAN FRANCISCO DATED JULY 20, 1978.

ON JULY 24, 1978, LEON GILBERT, PRISON NO. B79341,
 SAN QUENTIN PRISON, WAS INTERVIEWED CONCERNING REFERENCED
 CAPTIONED MATTER AND ADVISED THAT HE HAS NOT BEEN IN
 CORRESPONDENCE WITH [REDACTED] SINCE JANUARY, 1978. GILBERT
 WAS INCARCERATED IN MARICOPA COUNTY JAIL WITH [REDACTED] FROM
 MARCH, 1977, THROUGH AUGUST, 1977.

[REDACTED] HAD WRITTEN GILBERT AND ADVISED HIM THAT HE WAS
 AWARE OF EVIDENCE THAT DUNLOP WAS INNOCENT AND COULD NOT
 STAND BY AND LET AN INNOCENT MAN BE CONVICTED. GILBERT DID NOT

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NOT THINK THAT [REDACTED] AND DUNLOP KNEW EACH OTHER WHILE AT
MARICOPA COUNTY JAIL.

GILBERT ADVISED THAT [REDACTED] NEVER WROTE ABOUT BEING
"TAKEN CARE OF" BY ANYONE.

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On July 24, 1978, LEON GILBERT, Prison Number B79341, San Quentin Prison, Tamal, California, was interviewed by SA [] who identified himself by displaying his credentials. GILBERT was asked about his correspondence with [] and if [] had discussed the evidence that he was aware of concerning the innocence of MAX DUNLOP in the DON BOLLES murder. GILBERT was also asked if [] had made mention of being taken care of and by whom.

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GILBERT advised that he has not been in correspondence with [] since January of 1978.

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GILBERT advised that he was incarcerated in Maricopa County Jail with [] from March of 1977 through August of 1977.

[] had advised GILBERT that he was aware of evidence that DUNLOP was innocent and he could not stand by and let an innocent man be convicted. GILBERT advised that he does not think [] and DUNLOP knew each other in Maricopa County Jail.

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GILBERT advised that [] never wrote in any communication that he was aware of about being "taken care of."

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ET AL;
DON FIFIELD BOLLES - Victim (Deceased),
EID
OO: Phoenix

Re Phoenix teletype to San Francisco, dated
7/20/78; San Francisco teletype to Phoenix, dated 7/24/78.

Enclosed for Phoenix is the original and
one copy of FD-302 reflecting the interview of LEON
GILBERT at San Quentin Prison, Tamal, California on
7/24/78. No further investigation is being conducted
in this matter and this case will be considered RUC.

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New trial in Bolles case?

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. — Officials are working on an agreement with John Harvey Adamson that will result in refiling charges against Max Dunlap and James Robison for the murder of reporter Don Bolles, a published report said yesterday. The Scottsdale Progress said an agreement "was in the works" under which Adamson would escape the gas chamber in return for testifying a second time against Dunlap and Robison. The newspaper quoted "sources close to the case" as saying the state would refile the murder charges it was forced to drop against Dunlap and Robison when Adamson refused to testify further after their convictions were overturned in January.

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ATTN: RECORDS MANAGEMENT DIVISION, CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE
DIVISION, DOMESTIC TERRORISM UNIT; LEGAL COUNSEL DIVISION,
INFORMATION AND PRIVACY ACT LITIGATION UNIT.

UNSUB; JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON; ET AL; DON F. BOLLES - VICTIM
(DECEASED) EID OO: PHOENIX.

RE PHOENIX TELETYPE TO BUREAU AND SAN FRANCISCO, DATED 10/1/86,
AND TELCALL FROM PRINCIPAL LEGAL ADVISOR, PHOENIX, TO SUPERVISOR

[REDACTED] DOMESTIC TERRORISM UNIT, CID, ON 10/14/86.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU, SAN FRANCISCO SA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] CONDUCTED A REVIEW OF CAPTIONED PHOENIX FILE DURING THE
WEEK OF 10/6/86. THIS REVIEW DETERMINED THAT ALL INFORMATION
CONTAINED THEREIN, INCLUDING INFORMANT INFORMATION AND SENSITIVE

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INFORMATION PERTAINING TO [REDACTED]

HAD EITHER PREVIOUSLY BEEN DISSEMINATED TO THE ARIZONA ATTORNEY GENERAL'S (AAG) OFFICE, HAD BEEN ACQUIRED BY THAT OFFICE THROUGH OTHER SOURCES, OR ELSE WAS NO LONGER SENSITIVE DUE TO THE PASSAGE OF 10 YEARS. SAC, PHOENIX, CONCURS WITH SA [REDACTED] ASSESSMENT AND PHOENIX DIVISION BELIEVES THAT APART FROM ANY GRAND JURY MATERIAL IN THELE, INFORMATION FROM PX 174-559 MAY BE DISSEMINATED TO THE AAG'S OFFICE PURSUANT TO THE ROUTINE USE PROVISIONS OF THE PRIVACACT.

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ON 10/14/86, ASSISTANT AG [REDACTED], PHOENIX, ARIZONA, TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED PLA, OENIX, THAT RATHER THN SIMPLY REVIEWING PX 174-559 AND REQUESTING PHOTOCOPIES OF SELECTED SERIALS, HE NOW DEIRED TO HAVE THEENTIRE FILE COPIE FOR HIS FUTURE USE. ASSISTANT AG [REDACTED] STATED THAT HIS OFFICE WOULD PAY ALL COPYING COSTS AND WOULD BE AMENABLE TO ANY RESTRICTIONS WHICH THE FBI MIGHT IMPOSE UPON HIS USE OF THIS INFORMATION. [REDACTED] FURHER REQUESTED THAT HE ALSO BE PERMITTED SIMILAR ACESS TO PHOENIX DIVISION FILES CONCERNING THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATIONS:

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1. NEAL TAYLOR ROBERTS, AKA JOHN HARVEY ADAMSON; [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED];
EID; OO: [REDACTED]. THIS FILE
CONSISTS OF SEVEN VOLUMES, SEVERAL SUB FILES, AND ALSO CONTAINS
INFORMANT AND SENSITIVE INFORMATION. IT IS ALSO NOTED THAT SA
[REDACTED] WAS CAE AGENT IN THIS INVESTIGATION.

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2. UNSUB; [REDACTED] - VICTIM; ECT; RICO; OO: PHOENIX

[REDACTED]. THIS FILE CONCERNS INVESTIGATION INTO [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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IN VIEW OF THE ABOVE, PHOENIX DIVISION REQUESTS AUTHORITY
TO PERMIT ASSISTANT [REDACTED] TO PHOTOCOPY PHOENIX FILE
174-559 IN ITS ENTIRETY, UNDER AN AGREEMENT THAT THE BUREAU BE
REIMBURSED FOR ALL COPYIN COSTS AND FURTHER THAT THE AAG'S OFFICE
NOT DISSEMINATE THIS INFORMATION WITHOUT THE PRIOR WRITTEN
APPROVAL OF THE FBI.

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WITH RESPECT TO [REDACTED] ADDITIONAL REQUEST FOR ACCESS TO

[REDACTED] REGARDING [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PHOENIX RECOMMENDS THAT THIS REQUEST BE DENIED,
INASMUCH AS [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] AND DISSEMINATION OF THIS FILE INFORMATION COULD

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